EXHIBIT 6-B

PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE PLANNING GUIDE

PRE-CONFERENCE PLANNING

- 1. Identify and notify conference participants of the time and place of the preconstruction conference
- 2. **Prepare the materials that will be needed for the conference** (e.g. agenda, notes, forms and posters, roster of expected participants, and current wage determination)
- 3. Organize the materials into individual packets for each conference participant

PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE MODEL AGENDA

- 1. **Identify the official representatives of participating organizations**, including names, titles, business addresses, and telephone numbers for an official roster (include with minutes)
- 2. **Describe the responsibilities of the engineer or architect**, if applicable (responsibilities may include construction supervision, initial review of contractor payrolls, and certification of partial payment requests, etc.)
- 3. **Describe the responsibilities of the TSEP recipient (local government)** (responsibilities may include on-site employee interviews, posting of appropriate posters, and resolution of labor complaints, etc.)
- 4. **Describe the responsibilities of the contractor** (responsibilities include conformance to prevailing wage determination; assurance that subcontractors are bona fide subcontractors in compliance with Montana contractors licensing, wage and benefits bonding, and workers' compensation and unemployment insurance requirements; other applicable labor and civil rights requirements; and timely submission of required weekly payrolls, etc.)
- 5. **Outline and discuss contract terms** (e.g. timing of requests for partial payments, etc.)
- 6. **Outline and discuss schedule for construction completion** (contractor should provide timeframes for sequences of major construction activities from beginning of construction to final project completion)

- 7. **Describe the responsibilities of subcontractors** (primarily the same responsibilities as contractor e.g. prevailing wage rates, civil rights requirements, and compliance with Montana contractors licensing and workers' compensation and unemployment insurance requirements, etc.)
- 8. **Describe project inspection procedures** (responsibilities of TSEP recipient's Grant administrator for prevailing wage interviews, and engineer/architect for construction oversight should be discussed)
- 9. **Describe forms the contractor must submit** (refer to checklist supplement).

PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE CHECKLIST

PRE-CONFERENCE PLANNING

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	PRECONSTRUCTION MODEL AGENDA
1.	Identify the official representatives of participating organizations, including names, titles, business addresses, and telephone numbers for official roster
2.	Describe the responsibilities of the engineer, or architect, if applicable
3.	Describe the responsibilities of the TSEP recipient (local government's grant administrator)
4.	Describe the responsibilities of the contractor, including documentation of compliance with prevailing wage and equal employment opportunity requirements

5.	Outline and discuss contract terms
6.	Outline and discuss schedule for construction completion
7.	Describe responsibilities of subcontractors
8.	Describe project inspection procedures (responsibilities of TSEP recipient (local government's grant administrator), and engineer or architect)
9.	Forms and information the contractor must submit Contractor's Receipt of Required Program Materials (Exhibit 6-B.11) Certified Payroll Forms (WH-347) (Exhibit 6-C), or equivalent Statement of Compliance with Labor Standards and Prevailing Wage Requirements (WH-348) (Exhibit 6-C) Copy of the approved plan or program (if fringe benefits will not be paid in cash). Apprenticeship or training program agreement (if any apprentices will be working on the project). Names of persons authorized to sign payrolls Names of all subcontractors